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TABLES

VARIATIONS IN EMPLOYMENT OF
FRENCH MOTHER TONGUE PERSONS
BY SEX: NEW ENGLAND STATES, 1970

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TABLE 1
CLASS OF WORKER BY FRENCH AND ENGLISH MOTHER TONGUE BY SEX: EMPLOYED WORKERS,
NEW ENGLAND STATES, 1970
(Percent Distribution)

Class of Worker	ME.		N.H.		VT. Male		MASS.		CONN.		R.I.	
	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.
Private Wage or Salary	78.3	72.5	79.9	74.4	74.3	72.7	80.9	76.8	84.7	77.9	78.6	65.9
Gov't Worker	11.7	16.4	11.7	15.3	10.2	14.7	9.8	15.7	7.1	13.6	11.7	27.7
Self-employed	9.8	10.8	8.1	10.1	14.4	12.4	9.0	7.4	8.2	8.3	9.4	6.2
Working without pay	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	1.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	—	0.2	0.3	0.2
(N)	(461)	(2306)	(407)	(1537)	(167)	(1059)	(717)	(5731)	(562)	(5642)	(341)	(1672)
Female												
Private Wage or Salary	87.2	81.0	90.5	82.1	88.1	76.6	87.0	80.9	88.5	80.9	81.5	79.4
Gov't Worker	9.4	14.4	4.6	13.8	10.9	19.7	9.2	16.4	8.4	16.0	6.8	17.0
Self-employed	1.9	3.7	3.6	3.2	0.8	2.9	2.9	2.1	2.3	2.4	1.0	3.0
Working without pay	1.4	0.9	1.5	0.9	—	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.7
(N)	(415)	(1952)	(399)	(1342)	(118)	(882)	(586)	(5059)	(444)	(5332)	(294)	(1412)

DATA

SOURCE: Tables constructed by M. GIGUERE
from Public Use Samples, U.S. Bureau of the Census
Census of Population, 1970.

TABLE 2

INDUSTRY OF FRENCH AND ENGLISH MOTHER TONGUE EMPLOYED WORKERS BY SEX:
NEW ENGLAND STATES, 1970

(Percent Distribution)

	ME.		N.H.		VT.		MASS.		CONN.		R.I.	
INDUSTRY	Male											
	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.
AGRIC., FORESTRY, FISHING, MINING	3.7	9.5	2.5	4.2	15.6	16.3	1.7	2.0	0.9	2.5	1.5	1.7
CONSTRUCTION & MANUFACTURING	53.6	40.7	52.7	46.8	35.4	39.2	54.6	37.1	64.1	44.0	54.0	39.2
OTHER INDUSTRIES*	42.6	49.9	44.8	49.0	49.2	50.5	43.8	61.1	34.9	53.4	44.4	59.0
(N)	(455)	(2227)	(404)	(1556)	(167)	(1056)	(707)	(5626)	(557)	(5538)	(333)	(1449)
	Female											
Agriculture, etc.	1.9	3.1	0.3	1.1	---	1.9	0.2	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.3
Construction & Manufacturing	35.4	26.2	44.7	28.4	22.9	15.7	39.3	19.9	39.7	23.3	51.3	28.5
Other Industries*	62.6	70.7	55.2	70.3	77.0	82.4	60.1	79.4	59.6	75.8	48.2	71.4
(N)	(412)	(1947)	(399)	(1335)	(118)	(878)	(585)	(5041)	(441)	(4873)	(294)	(1406)

*Transportation, Communication, Public Utilities, Trade, Finance and Business,
Personal and Recreational Services, Professional Services, Public Administration

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TABLE 3

MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUPS OF FRENCH AND ENGLISH MOTHER TONGUE EMPLOYED WORKERS
BY SEX: NEW ENGLAND STATES, 1970

(Percent Distribution)

OCCUPATION GROUP	ME.		N.H.		VT.		MASS.		CONN.		R.I.	
	Male											
	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.	Fr.	Eng.
White Collar ¹	24.8	32.1	26.6	37.4	30.0	36.0	26.4	44.4	26.2	46.5	25.8	41.7
Blue Collar ²	62.2	53.8	62.7	56.2	43.8	45.7	63.5	42.7	66.5	42.9	63.9	45.3
Semi-skilled	27.0	21.8	27.5	19.3	19.8	16.3	26.4	16.8	26.9	15.9	29.1	19.3
Service Workers ³	10.3	8.1	10.1	10.0	13.8	9.7	9.3	11.7	6.8	9.0	10.2	12.1
Farm Workers ⁴	2.7	5.7	.7	2.3	12.6	8.7	.6	1.1	.4	1.3	---	.6
(N)	(455)	(2230)	(404)	(1557)	(167)	(1223)	(708)	(5632)	(558)	(5546)	(333)	(1454)

	Female											
White Collar ¹	40.1	48.4	35.5	55.2	48.3	56.4	43.1	67.1	49.4	68.8	37.5	67.3
Blue Collar ²	34.7	25.8	41.9	22.3	20.3	14.6	37.9	15.0	33.4	15.1	49.3	23.6
Semi-skilled	29.9	22.2	39.1	20.0	17.8	12.1	34.0	12.9	29.5	12.7	44.9	20.1
Service Workers ³	23.7	23.0	22.6	20.4	31.4	27.1	18.6	17.5	16.2	15.3	12.9	16.8
Farm Workers ⁴	1.9	2.5	0.3	0.7	---	1.4	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.1
(N)	(415)	(1950)	(399)	(1342)	(118)	(882)	(586)	(5056)	(444)	(4887)	(294)	(1410)

1 Professional, technical, managers, administrators, sales workers, clerical workers, etc.

2 Craftsmen, and foremen, operatives, non-farm labor

3 Private household workers, other service workers

4 Farmers and farm managers, and farm laborers

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